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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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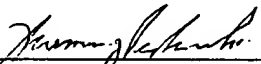
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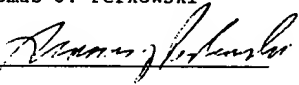
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We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as it may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said assignee but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

We authorize and empower the said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment,

consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the said assignee or nominee to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

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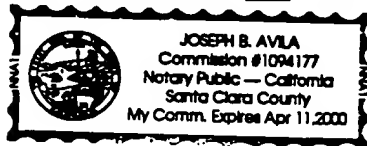
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this 2nd day of September, 1997

Leroy Dickson  
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State of California     )  
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This day before me personally appeared LEROY DICKSON, by me personally known, who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

Date: September 3, 1997



Joseph B. Avila  
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Signed at Blackwood, New Jersey  
this 8 day of September, 1997.

Carl Harry Knowles  
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State of New Jersey     )  
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This day before me personally appeared CARL HARRY KNOWLES, by me personally known, who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

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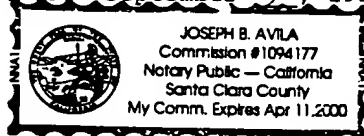
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John Groot  
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State of California )  
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This day before me personally appeared JOHN GROOT, by me personally known, who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

Date: September 3, 1997



Joseph B. Avila  
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Signed at Blackwood, New Jersey  
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Thomas Amundsen  
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State of New Jersey )  
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This day before me personally appeared THOMAS AMUNDSEN, by me personally known, who acknowledged the foregoing instrument and subscribed by him to be his free act and deed.

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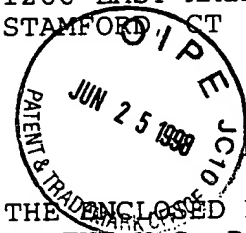
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